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FM AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4767

INFO AMEMBASSY GABORONE

AMEMBASSY LONDON

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SUBJECT: PATRIOTIC FRONT, SEEKING UNITY, PLANS

HEADQUARTERS ON NEUTRAL GROUND

1. DAILY NEWS OF APRIL 23 REPORTED RETURN TO DAR ES SALAAM OF PATRIOTIC FRONT CO-LEADER ROBERT MUGABE. AT AIRPORT PRESS CONFERENCE MUGABE CONTINUED WITH THEME THAT ZAPU AND ZANU HAVE ACHIEVED HARMONY AND WOULD OPERATE AS ONE FIGHTING FORCE. ZIMBABWE PEOPLE'S ARMY (ZIPA) WOULD BE RECONSTITUTED AND BROUGHT UNDER ONE COMMAND. ZAPU AND ZANU FORCES WOULD TRAIN AND FLIGHT TOGETHER.

2. MUGABE ANNOUNCED PATRIOTIC FRONT HAS DECIDED TO SET UP HEADQUARTERS IN DAR ES SALAAM, WITH OFFICES IN MAPUTO AND LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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3. COMMENT. DAR ES SALAAM IS RELATIVELY NEUTRAL GROUND FOR PATRIOTIC FRONT LEADERS MUGABE AND JOSHUA NKOMO. EACH WOULD FEEL MORE SECURE IN DAR THAN IN THE OTHER'S CURRENT BASE, MOZAMBIQUE FOR MUGABE AND ZAMBIA FOR NKOMO. HEADQUARTERS SHOULD CONTRIBUTE TO APPEARANCE OF PATRIOTIC FRONT UNITY.

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